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ADDRESS OF WELCOME

Delivered by Mayor Bowers to the Farmers Institute.

The JOURNAL's space was so limited last week that it was impossible for us to publish the address of welcome delivered by Mayor Bowers to the Farmers Institute, and as it contains so many worthy thoughts and facts it is deemed good reading and follows herewith:

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen and Fellow Citizen Farmers: It is with the utmost pleasure that we welcome you, the representatives of that great and important body of the nation's builders and the nation's sustainers, to our midst.

It is a fundamental maxim of political economy that the earth, or land, is the great primeval source of all wealth.

It must necessarily follow, then, that the nation's wealth and material prosperity comes from and is founded upon the lands, the farms of the nation.

This point is most graphically set forth by William J. Bryan in his celebrated "Cross of Gold" speech, wherein he says: "Burn down your cities and leave our farms, and your cities will spring up again as if by magic; but destroy our farms and the grass will grow in the streets of every city in the country."

To the farmer, then, we must look (Continued on Eighth Page.)

Saved Her Son's Life.

The happiest mother in the little town of Ava, Mo., is Mrs. S. Ruppee. She writes: "One year ago my son was down with such serious lung trouble that our physician was unable to help him; when, by our druggist's advice I began giving him Dr. King's New Discovery, and I soon noticed improvement. I kept this treatment up for a few weeks when he was perfectly well. He has worked steadily since at carpenter work. Dr. King's New Discovery saved his life." Guaranteed best cough and cold cure by Wm. Comstock & Son, druggists, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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GEORGE WASHINGTON—"First in war, first in peace and first in the hearts of his countrymen," was President of the United States when the Insurance Company of North America was organized in

1792
and Eben Hazard, Esquire, his Postmaster General, was the first Secretary of the Company.

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COURT HOUSE NEWS

January Term Closes in Time for April Term to Begin.

Judge Durcan came over from Findlay on Monday to hear the conclusion of the Potter damage case. The motion by defense to take the case from the jury was overruled and the case proceeded on its merits. The jury found a verdict for the defendants. Potter filed motion for new trial.

J. N. Baker and E. B. Bloom have been appointed by Judge Lincoln to examine the treasury of the county. They started to work Monday morning.

The Buckeye Traction Ditcher Co. has commenced suit against Curtis Jameson for balance which they claim is due on notes, the amounts being \$526.15 and \$74.43. They seek foreclosure of mortgage on 127 1-2 acres of land in Section 15, Webster township, and of a chattel mortgage on a ditcher.

David Nusbaum has commenced suit against his son, William D. Nusbaum, through Attorney E. D. Bloom. He says that he and his son have not had a settlement for ten years, although they have dealings right along. In August, 1904, he says he was fraudulently induced to sign a deed to his farm, 20 acres in Section 32, Bloom township, upon the representation that the paper was an acknowledgment of his indebtedness to his son. He seeks to have the deed set aside, a receiver appointed, and the accounts between himself and son adjusted.

George W. Lindell seeks a divorce from Alta A. Lindell to whom he was married August 17th, 1902. They have a three-year-old child. He says that she has willfully absented herself from him for more than three years. G. C. Nearing is his attorney.

Alice E. Durbin has brought suit for \$15,000 damages against Mary E. Parker whom she accuses of alienating the affections of her husband, Thomas E. Durbin, a conductor on a railroad, from whom she obtained a divorce last January after a married life since 1883. Beard & Beard are her attorneys.

ARRESTED IN MICHIGAN

Man Wanted for Forgery Brought to Wood County.

Sheriff A. C. Roach brought to jail Tom Beshare who has been wanted by the officers of the law for four years. He had been arrested at the instance of the Wood county officers.

The sheriff got the word a couple of days ago and lost no time in getting a requisition from Columbus. Beshare is charged with stealing two certificates of deposit amounting to \$304 from Oliver Fellers of Hamansburg, on March 12th, 1903. The story of the alleged theft is as follows: The Syrian with a companion peddler had stopped over night at the Fellers' home. When they left, Beshare took with him the certificates of deposit which were upon a North Baltimore bank.

He cashed them at the Wood County Savings Bank, forging the signature. Later on the bank discovered the deception and some of Beshare's friends in Toledo made it good with Fellers and the bank.

The fellow was indicted for grand larceny, however, at the April term of court but had so far eluded the officers.

He is out on \$1,000 bail.

LIME CITY.

Miss Louisa Krauss of Toledo was the Friday and Saturday guest with Albert Reitzel and wife.

Henry Betten and Jake Snyder of Toledo, Roy Grover and the Misses Alma and Edna Greiner of this place spent Sunday with Miss Anna Snyder.

Ernest Spratt of Grover Hill returned home after a visit with Miss Anna Snyder.

Fred Smith of Toledo was the Sunday guest of John Snyder.

Mrs. Rhinehart Reitzel and daughter Evelyn were Sunday guests of Mrs. Eliza Snyder.

Electric Light Plant Destroyed.

On Sunday night the electric light plant at North Baltimore was destroyed by fire. The loss is about \$25,000, and the city is in darkness. Dr. Henry is the owner of the plant and will rebuild as soon as possible. It was one of the best lighting systems in the State.

EVER WATCHFUL

A Little Care Will Save Many Perrysburg Readers Future Trouble.

Watch the kidney secretions. See that they have the amber hue of health; The discharges not excessive or infrequent; Contain no "brick-dust like" sediment. Doan's Kidney Pills will do this for you.

They watch the kidneys and cure them when they're sick. John Carlshead, of Second Street, Perrysburg, Ohio, says: "In all my experiences with remedies for the kidneys, I never found anything as good as Doan's Kidney Pills. Early last winter I was taken down with typhoid fever and when I recovered from it, my kidneys were left in a very bad condition. My back ached so that I could scarcely stoop or straighten up after stooping and I was unable to do any work for several months on account of it. To add to the annoying backache, there was a disordered condition of the kidney secretions. I tried several remedies but nothing gave me any permanent relief until I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills. The first box gave such relief that I felt encouraged and got a second one, which banished the pain entirely and corrected all other difficulties. I am a strong advocate for Doan's Kidney Pills and have recommended them to others."

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FIRE DEPARTMENT

Organized and Now Ready for Active Service.

Since the advent of plenty of water by the building of a water works plant in the village, the necessity of a well drilled fire department has become apparent, and Wm. Mills has taken the necessary action to organize such a company.

Twelve men have signed the rolls and are making efforts to perfect themselves in the drill and work of fighting fire.

The Council should give the men every possible assistance and make such arrangements as will enable them to keep their hose and other apparatus in good condition.

The men who have joined the company are:

Wm. Mills, Chief
Roswell Messenger, Asst. Chief
Russell Schaumloeffel, 2d Asst.
W. P. Scott
Roy Taylor
George Kemp
Art Williams
George Hufford
Roy Williams
Harry LaFarree
Max LaFarree
Eugene Bruce

Wm. Mills has been appointed Fire Chief by the Council, and is competent to make the company capable and efficient.

Found at Last.

J. A. Harmon of Lfzmore, West Va., says: "At last I have found the perfect pill that never disappoints me; and for the benefit of others afflicted with torpid liver and chronic constipation, will say: Take Dr. King's New Life Pills." Guaranteed satisfactory. 25c at Wm. Comstock & Son's, druggists.

DOWLING.

Lambert Carter and wife Sundayed with Art Wallace and family.

The Misses Kate and Mary Grolle were Sunday guests of friends at Dunbridge.

M. E. Bruce and family visited Alex Bruce and wife at Perrysburg last Friday.

Art Wallace and wife spent Monday afternoon in Bowling Green.

Henry Holtmier, Mrs. Fred Hensiek and daughter Freida and son Elmer and the Misses Anna Haggermier, Jessie Spilker and Mary Grolle were Sunday visitors of Wm. Grolle and family.

Miss Hazel Kazmaier of Perrysburg is spending the week with her grand-parents, Thos. Frusher and wife.

E. S. DeVerna and wife were Sunday guests of John Rickard and wife.

Miss Addie Kazmaier of Perrysburg was the guest of Ed. Frusher and family last Sunday.

Miss Edith Hatcher of Perrysburg spent Sunday with W. F. Spilker and family.

Mrs. Ed. Frusher spent last Friday with Anthon Sparks and wife in Bowling Green.

Tom Ordway of Casy, Ill., was the Sunday evening visitor of Thos. Frusher and wife.

The sudden death of Mrs. Russell D. Canary of Dunbridge, which occurred last Thursday night, March 21, is deeply regretted by many friends here. Deceased was 37 years of age and was a devoted christian wife and mother. She leaves a husband and two children to mourn her death.

How to Remain Young.

To continue young in health and strength, do as Mrs. N. F. Rowan, McDonough, Ga., did. She says: "Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured me of chronic liver and stomach trouble, complicated with such an unhealthy condition of the blood that my skin turned red as flannel. I am now practically 20 years younger than before I took Electric Bitters. I can now do all my work with ease and assist in my husband's store." Guaranteed at Wm. Comstock & Son's drug store. Price 50c.

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Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.

MURDER AND SUICIDE

North Baltimore Man Kills Wife and Shoots Himself.

Arthur Bean, aged 27, chopped and beat his wife to death with an axe at his home at North Baltimore, Thursday night and then shot himself through the head with a rifle, says the Sentinel.

Jealously on the part of both and Bean's apparent dislike to his wife's father and brothers seem to have combined to inflame Bean's mind into the commission of one of the worst crimes ever committed in this section of the state.

The murder and suicide took place in a little house on E. Water street, North Baltimore, and probably occurred about half past eight o'clock Thursday night.

The dead woman was the daughter of Samuel Slaughterback, was 25 years of age and had been married to Bean about five years. It is understood that there was some trouble between the couple frequently, he suspecting the attentions of other men and she believing that he cared for other women.

Her father has been very ill for some six weeks and she had spent much of the time there with him. To this, it is understood, Bean objected. Wednesday evening Bean, who worked for S. P. Harrison, assisting him about and taking care of his office, borrowed of Mrs. Harrison a 32 calibre rifle stating that he wanted to kill a dog at his house which was worrying his cat. He told Mrs. Harrison that maybe she would see him the next day.

Knowing how Bean felt toward his wife and the Slaughterbacks, and recalling the peculiar remark of Bean, Mrs. Harrison became alarmed and discussed the matter with Mr. Harrison. He made light of it but she continued to worry and went over to Slaughterback's to learn that Bean had been there and had taken his wife home with him.

She told of her fears and Harry and Ben Slaughterback, two of Mrs. Bean's brother's went over to Bean's house. All was dark about the house and the doors were locked. From inside came the moans of their sister. The alarm was given and Night Policeman Bert Kruttsch summoned. The back door was battered in and there upon the floor lay the body of Bean and his wife. She was still lying but died half an hour later. Bean was probably killed instantly.

The room was in terrible disorder and blood was in pools and splashes all over the little room. The woman's chin was almost severed and the top and back of the skull was crushed from several blows from an axe which Bean so murderously wielded. Indications were that after being struck the first time, Mrs. Bean resisted and they struggled all about the room while her life blood gushed from the wounds. Bean, after completing his work, carefully wrapped up the axe in some bedding and then taking the gun which he had brought for the purpose, lay down beside the body of his wife upon the floor, laid the gun along his side, and looking into the muzzle, pulled the trigger. He wore a cap at the time and this was half filled with his own blood and brains which oozed out of the bullet hole. The bullet entered between the eyes and came out at the crown of the head.

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